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REFERENCE: JULY MONTHLY REPORT (06/01/2015 - 06/30/2015)

Dear Ms. Seufert:

This statement is in response to the Commission's letter dated August 31, 2015. The Commission requested additional information regarding administrative expenses. Administrative expenses have been properly disclosed by the Committee either on line 21(b) of Schedule B or allocated properly on Schedule H4. Please note that the Committee owns its building and therefore does not make monthly rent payments. Moreover, the Committee does not disclose any payments for salary or wages on Schedule B supporting Line 30(b) of the Detailed Summary Page. The Committee allocates its salary and wages on Schedule H4 since none of its employees spend more than 25% of their time on Federal Election Activity (FEA) or activities in connection with a Federal election. These payments have been properly allocated.

This should answer the Commission's inquiry. Please feel free to contact us if you have any further questions on these items.

Sincerely, Ben Lombard Treasurer, Maine Republican Party

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